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SENATOR BURBACH: Mr. President and Members of the Legislature. I ask unanimous consent that we consider these four bills on select file at this time. If you recall possibly three weeks ago and maybe even four, they were set up for the first order of business and due to our rules, the way we operate, other bills which were set up subsequent to that on the 8th and this would be the 7th, that bill, those bills were considered then the 9th and these other bills have been set up a long time before. I, I never raised any objections at the time and now Friday afternoon we adjourned without considering these bills and these bills have a great deal of merit. They were introduced for a reason. They are from the Revenue Department and then LB 114 came from the Executive Board, I believe it was, Senator Carpenter, at least on the homestead exemption and all four of these bills need to be acted upon before we leave here so I ask unanimous consent that we discuss them at this time.

PRESIDENT: Senator Burbach asking unanimous consent to take up those four bills on select file. Are there any objections to handling those four bills? Any objections? Well, the actual motion was to take up the other ones first and then consider these four. Senator Burbach, wasn't that your motion to actually take up these other ones so that they can be moved on and then revert to those four?

SENATOR BURBACH: LB 87, 403, oh certainly, move anything along, you betcha. I, I don't want to interrupt that, that type of progress.

PRESIDENT: Do you all understand the motion? Senator Carpenter, are you objecting?

SENATOR CARPENTER: Just a point of information and a point of order.

PRESIDENT: Yes.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Is there any desire on the part of any member in order to unbracket those bills which are bracketed on final reading or are we in agreement in a general sense to leave them lay over until we meet again in January?

PRESIDENT: That's a good point.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Well then Mr. President--

PRESIDENT: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, I don't see Senator Schmit, but there was a bill I was going to try to have unbracketed. It is his. I'll try to find him and then I can come back in a very short time and tell you what he says.

PRESIDENT: Well, your remarks are addressed to Senator Carpenter to get some general direction here. Senator Carpenter, go ahead.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Well, when we get through with the four bills that, whatever the bills are on select file.

PRESIDENT: But, we're trying to handle the whole thing on select file. Everything up there.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Well, all, all I want to say that I want to notify the body only in order to determine the issue. I'll make a motion to suspend the rules and to read all the